IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: BOBBY HU ART UNIT: 3723

SERIAL NO: 10/621,552

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FOR: Reversible Ratcheting Tool with a

Smaller Head and Improved CONFIRMATION NO. 1339

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Driving Torque

EXPRESS ABANDONMENT

Atty. Dkt. No.: 2186-00400

Date: August 16, 2006

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.138, Applicant hereby files this written declaration of abandonment, expressly abandoning the above-identified U.S. application. Applicant notes that the issues up for appeal in the above-identified case are substantially similar to those already on appeal in a related case (Application Serial No. 10/219,135). Therefore, although Applicant feels that the issues in the current case are valid for appeal and that the pending claims are in condition for allowance, Applicant will only pursue the appeal in the related case.

Respectfully submitted,

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